APPENDIX

VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

The specification is changed as follows:

Page 36, lines 12-13,

"(sequence) 5' ATT TAG GTG ACA CTA TAG AAT ACA ACA CTC CAC CAT AGA

TCA CTC CCC TG 3' (SEQ ID NO:1)"

Page 36, line 15,

"(sequence) 5' ACT CGC AAG CAC CCT ATC A 3' (SEQ ID NO:2)"

Page 37, lines 11-12,

"(sequence) 5' ATT TAG GTG ACA CTA TAG AAT ACA A- (bases 11 to 300 in HCV

cDNA) 3' (nucleotides 1-25 of SEQ ID NO:6)"

Page 37, line 27,

"(sequence) 5' ACT CGC AAG CAC CCT ATC A 3' (SEQ ID NO:2)"

Page 38, lines 7-8,

"(sequence) 5' ATT TAG GTG ACA CTA TAG AAT ACA A- (bases 11 to 300 in HCV

cDNA) 3' (nucleotides 1-25 of SEQ ID NO:6)"

Page 38, lines 20-21,

"(sequence) 5' ATT TAG GTG ACA CTA TAG AAT ACA ACA CTC CAC CAT AGA

TCA CTC CCC TG 3' (SEQ ID NO:1)"

Page 39, line 21,

"(sequence) 5' ACT CGC AAG CAC CCT ATC A 3' <u>(SEQ ID NO:2)</u>"

Page 40, lines 1-2,

"(sequence) 5' ATT TAG GTG ACA CTA TAG AAT ACA A- (bases 11 to 300 in HCV

cDNA) 3' <u>(nucleotides 1-25 of SEQ ID NO:6)</u>"

Page 40, lines 14-15,

"(sequence) 5' ATT TAG GTG ACA CTA TAG AAT ACA ACA CTC CAC CAT AGA

TCA CTC CCC TG 3' <u>(SEQ ID NO:1)</u>"

Page 41, line 19,

"(sequence) 5' ACT CGC AAG CAC CCT ATC A 3' <u>(SEQ ID NO:2)</u>"

Page 41, lines 21-22,

"(sequence) 5' ATT TAG GTG ACA CTA TAG AAT ACA ACA CTC CAC CAT AGA

TCA CTC CCC TG 3' <u>(SEQ ID NO:1)</u>"

Page 41, line 27-Page 42, line 1,

"(sequence) 5' GAA [UCA] <u>UAC</u> AA- (bases 11 to 300 in HCV RNA) 3' <u>(nucleotides 1-8</u>

<u>of SEQ ID NO:7)</u>"

Page 43, line 15,

"(sequence) 5' ACT CGC AAG CAC CCT ATC A 3' <u>(SEQ ID NO:2)</u>"

Page 43, lines 22-23,

"(sequence) 5' ATT TAG GTG ACA CTA TAG AAT ACA A- (bases 11 to 300 in HCV

cDNA) 3' <u>(nucleotides 1-25 of SEQ ID NO:6)</u>"

Page 44, lines 8-9,

"(sequence) 5' ATT TAG GTG ACA CTA TAG AAT ACA ACA CTC CAC CAT AGA

TCA CTC CCC TG 3' (SEQ ID NO:1)"

Page 45, line 10,

"(sequence) 5' GTC [GGG GGG] GCC CCC AA 3' (SEQ ID NO:3)"

Page 45, lines 15-19,

"(sequence) 5' (vector sequence) GGG AAA GCU UGC AUG CCU GCA GGU CGA

CUC UAG AGG AUC CCC GGG UAC CGA GCU CGA AUU CC (sequence from HCV) U UGG

GGG CGA CAC UCC ACC AUA GAU CAC UCC CCU GUG AGG AAC UAC UGU CUU

CAC GCA GAA AGC GUC UAG C 3' (SEQ ID NO:4)"

Page 46, line 19,

"(sequence) 5' GTC [CGG GGG] GCC CCC AA 3' (SEQ ID NO:3)"

Page 48, lines 13-14,

"(sequence) 5' ATT TAG GTG ACA CTA TAG AAT ACA ACA CTC CAC CAT AGA

TCA CTC CCC TG 3' (SEQ ID NO:1)"

Page 48, line 16,

"(sequence) 5' ACT CGC AAG CAC CCT ATC A 3' (SEQ ID NO:2)"

Page 48, lines 21-22,

"(sequence)   5' GAA UAC AA- (bases 11 to 300 in HCV RNA) 3' (nucleotides 1-8 of

SEQ ID NO:7)"

Page 50, lines 2-3,

"(sequence) 5' GAA UAC AA- (bases 11 to 300 in HCV RNA) 3' (nucleotides 1-8 of SEQ ID NO:7)"

Page 50, lines 7-8,

"(sequence) 5' ATT TAG GTG ACA CTA TAG AAT ACA A- (bases 11 to 300 in HCV cDNA)-3' (nucleotides 1-25 of SEQ ID NO:6)"

Page 51, line 27-Page 52, line 1,

"(sequence) 5' ATT TAG GTG ACA CTA TAG AAT ACA ACA CTC CAC CAT AGA TCA CTC CCC TG 3' (SEQ ID NO:1)"

Page 52, line 3,

"(sequence) 5' ACT CGC AAG CAC CCT ATC A 3' (SEQ ID NO:2)"

Page 52, lines 7-8,

"(sequence) 5' GAA UAC AA- (bases from 11 to 300 in HCV RNA) 3' (nucleotides 1-8 of SEQ ID NO:7)"

Page 54, lines 13-14,

"(sequence) 5' ATT TAG GTG ACA CTA TAG AAT ACA ACA CTC CAC CAT AGA TCA CTC CCC TG 3' (SEQ ID NO:1)"

Page 54, line 16,

"(sequence) 5' ACT CGC AAG CAC CCT ATC A 3' (SEQ ID NO:2)"

Page 54, lines 21-22,

"(sequence) 5' GAA UAC AA- (bases 11 to 300 in HCV RNA) 3' (nucleotides 1-8 of SEQ

ID NO:7)"

Page 56, line 1,

"(sequence) 5' CTC GC*G GGG GCT G 3' (SEQ ID NO:5)"

Page 58, lines 12-13,

"(sequence) 5' ATT TAG GTG ACA CTA TAG AAT ACA ACA CTC CAC CAT AGA

TCA CTC CCC TG 3' (SEQ ID NO:1)"

Page 58, line 16,

"(sequence) 5' ACT CGC AAG CAC CCT ATC A 3' (SEQ ID NO:2)"

Page 58, lines 21-22,

"(sequence) 5' GAA UAC AA- (bases 11 to 300 in HCV RNA) 3' (nucleotides 1-8 of SEQ

ID NO:7)"

Page 61, lines 2-3,

"(sequence) 5' ATT TAG GTG ACA CTA TAG AAT ACA ACA CTC CAC CAT AGA

TCA CTC CCC TG 3' (SEQ ID NO:1)"

Page 61, line 5,

"(sequence) 5' ACT CGC AAG CAC CCT ATC A 3' (SEQ ID NO:2)"

Page 61, lines 11-12,

"(sequence) 5' GAA UAC AA- (bases 11 to 300 in HCV RNA) 3' (nucleotides 1-8 of SEQ

ID NO:7)"

Page 63, lines 6-7,

"(sequence) 5' ATT TAG GTG ACA CTA TAG AAT ACA ACA CTC CAC CAT AGA

TCA CTC CCC TG 3' (SEQ ID NO:1)"

Page 63, line 9,

"(sequence) 5' ACT CGC AAG CAC CCT ATC A 3' (SEQ ID NO:2)"

Page 63, lines 15-16,

"(sequence) 5' GAA UAC AA- (bases 11 to 300 in HCV RNA) 3' (nucleotides 1-8 of SEQ

ID NO:7)"

Page 65, lines 17-18,

"(sequence) 5' ATT TAG GTG ACA CTA TAG AAT ACA ACA CTC CAC CAT AGA

TCA CTC CCC TG 3' (SEQ ID NO:1)"

Page 65, line 20,

"(sequence) 5' ACT CGC AAG CAC CCT ATC A 3' (SEQ ID NO:2)"

Page 65, line 27-Page 66, line 1,

"(sequence) 5' GAA UAC AA- (bases 11 to 300 in HCV RNA) 3' (nucleotides 1-8 of SEQ

ID NO:7)"